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Local News

The post office will be open from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday and will close at 4 p.m. on Tuesday.

The Rev. R.G. Harden of Braut, Alberta has notified us that he will be in Mirror, June 30th to take up his work here.

Mr Smathers is leaving on Tuesday next to attend the post masters' convention in Calgary.

The local Elks ball team took Alex into camp at the school diamond, Tuesday, when a good game was witnessed ending up with a score of 16-4 in favor of Mirror. The Mirror battery comprised, Talloch pitcher and Ray catcher; Paton 1st base; Murray 2nd base; Cairns, short stop; Wiggins, 3rd; Whiting right field; Gelnick, centre; McNair left field.

On Friday evening, June 22, Mrs C. Sarles entertained a number of friends at a "Golf" party. Mrs Leo Ray and Mrs J. Raugh won the honors, the consolation going to Mrs McCormack and Mrs A.C. McNair. At midnight a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

The local Oddfellows entertained their friends on Tuesday night in the town hall, when a most enjoyable time was had. Frank McLeod took the chair. Cards were the main feature of the evening. Mrs A. W. King won the ladies' first, Mrs R. Conway the ladies' first, Mrs R. Conway carrying off the consolation. Floyd Phelps won the gentlemen's first and Mr King the consolation. A lovely lunch and ice cream was served at the close.

The new beach has been progressing very rapidly and in a few weeks time Mirror will be able to boast of a summer resort that will be a big attraction to the tourists and campers. The lots which run up close to the lake shore are on high ground which gives a most wonderful view to the north. There is also a very nice stretch of land to the south of the lots which can be used for golfing or sports. Messrs Trotter, Devereaux, Spice, and Junget are putting up cottages, and Mr Spice is having a boat with a motor.

Following are those who have helped to put the deal through: F.M. Haggarty, N.G. Spice, A.C. McNair, F. MacDonald, C.W. Pemberton, J.F. Flawelling, N.G. Devereaux, R. Simpson, J.G. Russell, A.W. King, B. Shephard, Dr. MacLennan, M. Robertson, F. Whiting, A.E. Hopkins, R.H. Herriman, J.W. Trotter, J. Hueman, J.W. Spice, J. Havis, H.J. McNair, F. McLeod, E. Head, J. Purcell, B.E. Estall, W. Jacklin, A.N. Junget, G.L. Cassidy, Mrs J. Fraser.

Messrs C. East and L. Switzer were up to Edmonton last week and also this week, there are some curious folk who would like to know what the attractions are.

The Elks will hold a bazaar in conjunction with the sports.

FRESH FISH on Friday
At Junget's Meat Market

Local Brevities

Mr and Mrs Ted Mendell are up on a motor trip from Butte, Montana, visiting with Mr and Mrs A. J. Ray. They will leave on Monday for Banff and after a visit there will make a tour of the coast cities.

Mr and Mrs E.P. Hounds are parents of Mrs D. Lofstrand, motored up from Long Beach, Cal., accompanied by Mr and Mrs C.C. Rounds Jr., and are visiting with Mr and Mrs Lofstrand.

The United church will be open on Saturday from 2 to 3 p.m. for the distribution of supplies.

Mr F.W. Taylor landed a 25 pound pike Sunday morning.

Mrs A. L. Watt of Berkeley California, visited her daughter, Mrs D.C. Sage. Mrs. Watt is on her way to Buffalo, Detroit and other points and will spend the winter in California.

The tumult of a thousand fiery steeds urged by riders mad with the lust of battle! The Moon of Israel at the Grand Friday and Saturday.

F. McDonald left Monday for Edmonton where he is attending the Alberta Pools convention.

Mr C. Wolferstan reports a most of new potatoes Sunday. J. Keston left on Monday for Bentley.

Messrs R.C. Rowden, Preston McDonald and Harold Pemberton are building boats the latter installing a Chevrolet engine.

The W.I. wish to thank all those who helped to make the tea and sale a success, Saturday at which the sum of \$52 was realized.

The United Sunday School will be closed after the first Sunday in July.

We have had some lovely growing weather lately, we noticed some crops south that were up twelve inches.

A joint meeting of the U.F.A. and D.F.W.A. was held in the town hall on Saturday, when Hon. Irene Farley was present, giving a report on the proceedings of the house.

A social evening will be held at the Rectory of St. Monica's church, tonight, Thursday.

A cement sidewalk is being made from the corner of the Imperial hotel to Flawelling's corner, which is quite an improvement to the town.

There was a special meeting of the W.I. held on Monday at which it was decided to have a float at the parade on the 2nd of July.

Mr Jones is having a music recital this week.

The Ripley Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs Fred Mann last Thursday.

A school picnic was held at Ripley on Wednesday.

The stores will be closed on Monday.

The Ripley Ladies' Aid will hold their annual ice cream social and sale at work Friday evening, July 6.

Earl Estall and family left Monday for a two weeks visit to Mrs Estall's parents in Washington.

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The Imperial Hotel

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Comfortable and Homelike

Steam Heated Rooms Bath

Our New Dining Room is Open

We Respectfully Solicit Your Patronage

THE COFFEE HOUSE

Light Lunches Ice Cream Soft Drinks

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Very Latest Styles, also Soft Chip Straws

A large range for Every day Hats

To Fit Man, Woman and Child

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TENNIS FOOTWEAR

Do Not Cook--

Just a few suggestions for the Hot Weather:

We always try and have just what you want to eat these Hot Days

Lettuce, Tomatoes, Celery, Strawberries, Fruit Salad, Sandwich Spreads, Salad Dressings, Veal Loaf, Lobster Shrimps, Crabs, Canned Chicken, Sliced and Corned Beef

Lime and Grape Juices

For Your Dessert--

Take Home a Box of

Weston's Fancy Biscuits

SERVICE YOURS FOR QUALITY PRICE

McNair Bros.

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MIRROR, BASHAW, ALLIANCE

Tourist Traffic Helps People Of United States To Become Better Acquainted With Canada

Figures recently issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the United States Department of Commerce indicate that American tourists to Canada last year spent four dollars for every dollar spent by Canadian visitors to the United States. The respective amounts were \$200,000,000 and \$50,000,000. From a per capita standpoint the comparison appears altogether different with Canadians spending \$5.26 in the United States for every head of the Dominion's population against \$1.73 spent in Canada for each person in the United States.

However that is aside from the point that Canada officially welcomes the tourists and desires that each and every one shall have a most pleasant and enjoyable holiday within the Dominion's borders, and that they shall go home with pleasant recollections. In this latter connection the Natural Resources Service at the end of the last season last year reported that its correspondence showed that the visitors were for the most part satisfied and pleased with Canadian hospitality. Allowances were willingly made for roads under repair and Canadian currency was fully recognized, while complaints were there related to lack of suitable accommodation except in the larger centres, and to overcharging. The Service issued a circular in 1927, "Overcharge the Tourists," in which it was stated that there were none very definite accusations of unfair treatment. This warning received a very wide publicity, and it is not expected that there will be complaints this year. Nevertheless, there is no season is far advanced it is believed to be in the public interest to report the warning and no doubt the boards of trade, municipal authorities, automobile associations and the merchants will be on the look out for offenders.

A pleasing feature of this year's correspondence is that a great many more persons in the United States are better acquainted with Canadian geography. In place of writing "Please tell us about Canada," they now want to know about the roads connecting certain cities, the accommodation and the sporting and recreational attractions. Many are interested in points of historical interest.

A great many persons who visited Canada last year will come again this season and this is highly significant of the interest in our country when they plan to afford the time for another visit in the immediately succeeding season. The following is from a letter written by a woman in Maryland, who motored in Canada last year, and asks for help in planning a trip this year.

"I had planned much about Canada before last year, but I'd always thought of it as some far away place, and having people different from us in the States. I don't know where I've ever felt more at home than I did while in Canada, and your people are some of the finest on earth. I'm sure, so hospitable, and that the police you have are courteous and willing to assist visitors and even bearing with them in their traffic errors. Maybe you don't receive many letters like this but I'm sure that some folks with whom I've talked about Canada have the same opinion that I have."

Canadians who have helped to entertain and assist our American visitors in their journeying through Canada will appreciate that kindly expression of appreciation and there are very many more like it. Canada welcomes the tourists and does want to see them come again.

Extent Of Tar Sand Deposits
The deposit of bituminous sands, commonly known as tar sands, on the Athabasca River and its tributaries in northern Alberta, covers an area of approximately five thousand square miles of varying depth, density, and richness.



Saskatchewan Is the Healthiest Province

Has Lowest Annual Death Rate
According to Statistics Saskatchewan is the healthiest province in the Dominion, if the death rate is any criterion, says a dispatch from Ottawa. Returns issued by the bureau of statistics give Saskatchewan an annual death rate per thousand population of 49, the rate being based on deaths last December.

Quebec has the highest death rate with 12.8; New Brunswick comes a close second with 12.3. The rate for Western provinces, with comparisons for 1925, is given:

Province	1927	1926
Manitoba	7.6	7.8
Saskatchewan	6.9	8.0
Alberta	8.1	9.3
British Columbia	10.1	12.6
Dominion	10.7	11.3

Infantile mortality continues to take its toll, although the figures are improving. Returns for last December give an infantile mortality rate for the Dominion of 85 per thousand living births against 100 per thousand in the December previous.

Quebec, among the provinces, had the highest infantile mortality rate for last December, namely 124 per thousand; Ontario the lowest with 65.6; Alberta showed the biggest relative improvement. In December, 1926, its infantile rate was 113.2; last December it was 68.8.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

The Winnipeg Newspaper Union, which was organized in 1917, has a membership of 124. The union is a part of the International Brotherhood of Newspapermen, which is a part of the American Federation of Labor. The union is a part of the International Brotherhood of Newspapermen, which is a part of the American Federation of Labor. The union is a part of the International Brotherhood of Newspapermen, which is a part of the American Federation of Labor.

Reverted To Law
A clergyman who had given up his former position as a magistrate in order to enter the clergy, was conducting his first marriage service. "Will thou have this man to be thy wedded husband?" he asked the bride.

The bride answered eagerly: "Will." "By the power vested in me," he continued, addressing the bridegroom, "what have you to say in your defense?"

Germanes Have New Idea
By employing perfect or chemicals used in operations, German surgeons are reported to have spared their patients some of the unpleasant effects usually attending the administration of anaesthetics. Sleep is induced more rapidly. It is said, and the soothing color is usually prevented due to the elimination of the nauseating odor of this anesthetic.

A Smart One-Piece Dress
A style that proves a favorite for the woman who desires to look slender. The collarless V-necked neck-line is completed with a vestee trimming in diagonal lines. The side unies are specially attached to the lower part of front along perforations. Buckle at shoulders are made on the wrong side for decorative effect, and the set-in sleeves are darted. No. 920 is in sizes 16 years, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust. Size 36 requires 2 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 2 1/2 yards 44-inch material, and 1/2 yard 37-inch contrasting. Price 25 cents the pattern.

Home sewing brings nice clothes within the reach of all, and to follow the mode is delightful when it can be done so easily and comfortably by following the style pictures usually of long experience. All of these were placed on last year's list, with by F. J. Freer, Superintendent of Land Settlement for the Canadian National Railways. The photograph shows Dr. Von Sieberg (holding boy's hand) and some of his party on their arrival in Winnipeg.

How To Order Patterns
Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

For people impair their eyesight looking on the bright side of things.

ELEVATED TO THE FOREFRONT

Rare Snail In British Museum Evidently Ate One

The entire force of the British Museum was devoted to searching for one of the rarest snails in its collection, which disappeared suddenly and inexplicably after having remained sedately glued to a piece of cardboard for twenty years.

After a frantic search, the gastropod was discovered clinging to the exhibits in a far distant wing of the museum. The assembled savants put their brains together on the problem, and decided that during his blameworthy and sedentary existence of two decades, M. Escargot had lived on the glue which held his apparently inert carcass to the cardboard on which he was mounted. The glue finished, there was nothing to keep him at home, either from an alimentary or adhesive point of view, so he went.

The wandering mollusk has been returned to his position, where he is content this time by enough glue to keep him in food for at least another century.

How Ploughing Has Improved

Method Of Two Hundred Years Ago

The method plough of 200 years ago required three men and four to six oxen to turn a narrow furrow in rough prairie soil, and so great was the friction of the rough wooden mold-board. This type of plough was the most advanced model of the times and an improvement over the common crooked stick with a iron point tied on with rawhide.

In those days, three men ploughed from one to two acres per day with a tremendous amount of physical labor. Today one man sits on a comfortable tractor seat and ploughs 10 acres easily with a three-bottom plough in the same number of hours, and 17 or 18 acres with a modern four-bottom plough.

The man who in 1825 operated a three-bottom plough with a tractor or big team, which accomplished 25 or 30 acres a day, was as his ancestor's in Colonial days with his oxen and wooden plough, while the jagged, crooked runner or "point" tips was crude indeed compared with the smooth turned beam from the shipyard of a modern moldboard.

Employ Bituminous Sands
By means of actual tests, in road construction it has been definitely established that the bituminous sands of northern Alberta can be successfully employed for paving purposes. As the present supply of these sands is practically unlimited, their presence and use appear to have solved the problem of permanent paving and road construction in the western provinces.

Increased Employment

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics tabulated reports from 6,501 firms who reported a decidedly upward movement in employment on May 1st, the payrolls being increased by 10 per cent. The number of firms reported a gain of over four points at 10.5 compared with 10.1 on April 1st, and 10.6 on April 1st of last year.

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Lived On Strange Food

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National Museum Of Canada Planning Extensive Research Throughout West This Season

USE RADIO FOR PROSPECTING

Radiore System Now Used In Canada Is Not New

Radio has long prospecting and the past has demonstrated that where radio goes the old order vanishes. Up in Canada's nickel country, north of Sudbury, Ontario, one may hear the cry "Lime!" From out the distance comes the answer "O.K." There is silence for a minute or so. Then come two shrill blasts on a whistle and the answer "O.K." It is not a traffic cop on vacation practicing his calls as he yawns for his busy corner. It is not some strange animal unknown to zoologists. It is not the wind whistling around the base of some steep cliff. It is the scientific prospecting plying his vocation.

The equipment consists of a transmitter, a big tripped loop of copper wire, levelled for working on uneven surfaces, and a receiver. It is operated by a crew of four men. The transmitter is set up on the property and the receiver is taken from place to place. It is pointed at loop and the signals received are checked to see if the "shot" is in the line. The operator at the receiver where to focus on the loop. The "O.K." and "Lime!" are checked against the signals received. These are the signals received. The signals are turned on. It works on a wave of about 3,000 meters. The signal is picked up through electric coils in the ground. These are the signals received. These are the signals received. These are the signals received.

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EXPECT RETURN OF RESOURCES

TO COME SOON

Ottawa.—There is every prospect that the present year will see important developments in the financial relations between the Dominion and all the provinces as affecting the subsidies which are annually granted. The matter, it is known, has been under consideration already and will be further considered when, during the summer months, negotiations occur with the western provinces respecting the return of their natural resources.

Similarly, the subject was a most important feature of the agenda of the Dominion-wide conference last fall.

It is understood that the Dominion government is anxious to have a specific delimitation of its sphere and those of the provinces and to avoid overlapping even to the extent of federal subventions of local works.

The grants for highway improvement are not being renewed with the aid to technical education is also lapsing.

Saskatchewan's public lands have been as extensively alienated that it is likely to claim in addition to the return of what remains of its domain the full subsidy of \$1,125,000 per year to which it was entitled when it has a population of 800,000.

For such a concession, the Dominion government's outlook is not unfavorable.

Will Aid Canadian Ports

Grain Commissioners Promise Support To Vancouver and Other Ports

Vancouver.—The Board of Grain Commissioners of Canada, will exert every effort to aid the port of Vancouver and keep Canadian grain moving over Canadian railways and through Canadian ports.

Vancouver has in its few years of grain experience developed the grain handling facilities to a science and has proven capable of handling any quantity turned Westward.

These sentiments, together with a note of warning that United States ports and transportation interests looked with eager eyes on the grain crop of Canada, were expressed by Leslie H. Boyd, chairman of the Dominion Board of Grain Commissioners, here.

The occasion was the banquet celebration of the 80,000,000 bushel of grain given by the Vancouver merchants' exchange. More than a hundred grain and shipping men attended, the guests including, besides Mr. Boyd, James Robinson, and Matthew Snow, and Secretary Halloway of the Board of Grain Commissioners.

Col. R. D. Williams, president of the Vancouver Merchants' exchange, was chairman and in a speech to the 80,000,000 bushel gave a resume of the history of the local trade.

"I can not give you statistics, but I feel quite sure that Vancouver will pass the 120,000,000 bushel mark during the 1928-29 season," declared P. H. McD. Russell, chairman of the Vancouver harbor board.

Given Command In India

General Chetwode Appointed Chief Of General Staff

London.—General Sir Philip Chetwode, member of the army council, has been appointed chief of the general staff in India. He succeeds Lieut.-Gen. Sir A. Sleson, who has served under the commander-in-chief, Field Marshal Sir W. R. Birdwood, since 1924.

Gen. Chetwode was the author of the military plan by which Field Marshal Sir Edmund Allenby pursued the offensive in Palestine during the war. Up to last year Gen. Chetwode was commander-in-chief of the Hyderabad command. He is 59 years old and served throughout the war.

Public Schools To Teach Plans
Port Arthur, Ont.—Pupils at the public schools will be given the opportunity, at the opening of the fall term, to take piano lessons as part of the school curriculum, it has been decided by the Board of Education of the Canadian Bureau for the Advancement of Music being authorized to make the necessary arrangements.

Memorial To Col Miner

Lethbridge, Alta.—Plans are progressing rapidly for the memorial cairn to be erected in honor of the late Col. Miner, Alberta's first coal producer, who in 1872 opened out the first mine on the banks of Belly River.

Tragedy In Belgrade

Two Members Of Serbian Parliament Are Killed By Radical Deputy

Belgrade, Jugoslavia.—Infuriated by frequent interruption and the refusal of the opposition to withdraw from the debating benches, Punicia Raditch, Radical deputy, drew a revolver during a session of the national assembly and fired six rounds into the group of opposition members.

Paul Raditch, nephew of Stefan Raditch, the peasant leader, was seriously wounded. The Croat deputy, Dr. Banaritch, was "so gravely wounded that he died on his way to the hospital."

Dr. Pernar and two other deputies, Grandja and Jelatch, also received bullet wounds of a dangerous nature. This was the culmination of fierce controversies and hand-to-hand fights which have recently taken place in the Jugoslavian Parliament. The crisis is considered the most terrible since the memorable assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga, just 25 years ago when they were thrown from the whole of Jugoslavia into a ferment of excitement.

Parliament had scarcely opened this morning when the opposition, led by Stefan Raditch, began its obstructionist tactics against the government benches and shaking its fist, shouted: "You are not men; you are swine!"

At the height of the angry debate Stefan Raditch, turning to the government benches and shaking his finger, shouted: "You are not men; you are swine!"

Privy Council Ruling

Important To Dominions

Judgment Rendered In Regard To

Writ Of Habeas Corpus

London.—A judgment of grave constitutional importance to the British subjects in the British and the overseas Dominions has been rendered by the judicial committee of the Privy Council on an appeal from Nigeria.

In effect, their Lordships decided that although by the Judicature Act, various courts have been combined into one high court, each judge of that court still has jurisdiction to entertain an application for writ of habeas corpus, and that the writ of habeas corpus, and he is bound to hear and determine such application on its merits, without regarding any previous judicial findings.

This principle must apply to the Supreme Court of Nigeria, they said in allowing the appeal of Eboagwey Ekeke, native chief, from a decision of the Nigerian Supreme Court which had found that Mr. Justice of the Peace had no jurisdiction to entertain Ekeke's motion for a writ of habeas corpus.

Tribute For Pilot

Credit For Latest Atlantic Flight Given To Stultz

London.—Talking to London's aviation press, the British ambassador, Miss Earhart declared firmly and emphatically that during her brief stay in England she did not want to be the subject of "hero worship."

"It has done nothing to merit it," she said.

"It became to me a woman that I have been forced into the spotlight. The credit for the success of the flight is due to Stultz. He controlled the plane practically throughout and was just splendid."

"Hints" With Cruisers

Warned.—The Government has ordered three light cruisers to anchor in the mouth of the Vistula as a gesture to Danzig that Poland will work no interference with her development of merchant marine.

This action followed recent difficulties with Danzig Port authorities, who refused to allow several Polish freighters docking or anchoring facilities at Danzig pier, Danzigers protest that the ships are a menace, and constitute a danger to the safety of the city.

Will Make World Tour

Minneapolis.—James W. Davidson, author, explorer and diplomat, a resident of Calgary, Alberta, has been appointed as special representative of International Rotary for a tour around the world to visit clubs already organized and survey other countries not yet in Rotary.

Attending Authors' Convention

Toronto.—A contingent of Toronto members of the Authors' Association will attend the annual convention in Niagara which opens July 4, including Dr. Charles G. D. Roberts, the National secretary and J. M. Eason, treasurer.

Had Narrow Escape

Window-Crasher Clings To Sill On Third Story Until Rescued

Winnipeg.—Clinging desperately with his fingers to a window sill on the third story of the Grand Exchange building here, Steve Jaksch miraculously saved himself from death. He was cleaning windows and was adjusting his safety belt when the heavy steel sash fell, knocking him out of the space. As he plunged downward he caught the sill just before the sash crashed down his fingers, crushing them badly. He held on with all his strength until his plight was discovered and he was rescued.

Caught In Snowstorm

Colorado Tourists Marooned At Summit Of Pike's Peak

Colorado Springs, Colo.—Twenty-five tourists have been rescued from the summit of Pike's Peak after being marooned there for 24 hours by the worst spring snowstorm to visit this region in several years.

Several children were in the group, which had been isolated by great heaps of snow which covered the upper portions of the 14,000-foot mountain. Word of their plight was brought here when telephone communications were restored, and a snow plow fought through the drifts and reached the stranded tourists.

EFFORTS MADE TO PUSH WORK ON H. B. ROAD

Ontario.—Work continues to be pushed on the Hudson Bay Railway, with considerable grading in progress. Whether the road will be finished by the end of 1929, as anticipated, cannot yet be said, but all efforts are being made during the season to have those parts that can be worked on.

The northward course of the road runs at Mileage 358 (from The Pas), a few miles northeast of Kettle Rapids. From there the railway will run almost due north to Fort Churchill, avoiding contact with Port Nelson altogether. Churchill is at Mileage 512, which would indicate that 150 miles of steel still remain to be laid.

With regard to the Fort Churchill office, officials of the department of railways receding that when H. B. Dunning was asked as to his policy respecting real estate speculation here, he declared that the government had expropriated all lands on the east side of the harbor, where the dock works will be constructed. Compensation for this will be decided in the exchequer court in due time.

Most of the land for the townsite of Churchill was the property of a settler named Beach, who established himself there and homesteaded many years ago. He is now dead, and his heirs are scattered throughout Canada and they will be recompensed for the expropriations.

The loss of the dredge off the Labrador coast last year may delay the harbor works for some time. Throughout the winter a great deal of material was salvaged at Fort Churchill by motor-tractor; other material has been floated up the bay.

An aeroplane base will be established within a few weeks as soon as the ice conditions in the immediate vicinity of Fort Churchill have become such as to enable the department of national defence to place now at Comport Lake, north of The Pas, to make the trip to the port.

New Settlers Coming

London.—The families of 30 soldiers will be settled in Canada next spring under the new scheme of land settlement for military and naval families, it has been announced.

The age of the heads of the family will not exceed 40 years except in particular circumstances where the family is regarded as very desirable, in which case the age limit will be raised to 45 years.

Trade Treaty Signed

Vienna, Austria.—A treaty of amity and trade between the United States and Austria has been signed by Chancellor Seipel and United States Ambassador Albert Henry Washburn.

The S-55, a huge seaplane, was sent from Italy by the Italian Government in the belief that its cruising radius would be more useful in the search than the smaller seaplanes furnished by the Swedish and Norwegian governments.

The S-55 was manned by Maddalena, Lieut. Cagna as co-pilot, with radio operator Alberto and Sergeant Rampali, who had come with the plane on its flight from Italy.

All Europe, moved for days by the dramatic flight of Noble in hearing and seeing relief planes overhead tonight, tonight was anxiously waiting for word from Amundsen.

Captain H. Riser-Larsen returned from his voyage reconnoitering over the ice without having seen anything of Noble or the other two parties of the Italian crew.

Larsen said the radius of flight of his machine was too small and suggested an icebreaker be sent to rescue the three men. He said that Noble's crew who left him in an attempt to walk to the mainland.

The rescue ship Braganzza is under orders to advance further toward the east because of packed ice.

WILL GIVE CANADA HELPING HAND

Photograph shows a happy group of young women who arrived in this country recently for domestic work, positions having been assured them before leaving the Old Country.

They arrived in Montreal after a pleasant voyage on the Canadian Pacific Steamship "Melita" with the ship's conductress, who is seen in the centre of the group, and who advised them that it were better to work for a salary and be independent than just to work at keeping house.

R.C. PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS

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Says Navy Best Defence

Preserves Unity Of Empire Declares President Of League

Saint John, N.B.—Treaties and pacts could never take the place of the "navy alone"—the navy declared President Sam Harris, Toronto, before the annual meeting of the League of Nations here. The Empire, he said, depended on the naval defence. He asserted Canada should pay a fair share towards protecting its overseas trade.

The session was taken up with a presentation of the financial statement of the organization, which showed the League with highly satisfactory resources. £250,000 fund securities amounted to \$450,000. During the year in general fund, December 31, 1927, was \$197,215.33, it was reported.

Scottish Youths For Canada

Inspector Comes To Dominion To Study Conditions Here

Toronto.—James M. Maltman is chief inspector of the Glasgow, Scotland, parish council. Interest in migration problems affecting the old country has brought him to Canada for the purpose of studying conditions which they have to do with youths who come out under the land settlement act.

"There are 8,000 people in our parish receiving relief," he said. "We quite appreciate that migration to Canada is not a solution to our problem, but we do feel that many Scotch lads, after they are hand-picked, tested and trained in farm work, may make good settlers for Canada."

"We are most particular as to what type of boy we find. It never occurs to us to send a boy to a farm who is of doubtful character." He brought out with him 30 youths who are already placed on farms in the Dominion.

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